

THE YOUNG JEW,

OR

"I DON'T WANT TO HEAR ABOUT JESUS."

IS it within the range of human thought to frame words, or construe a sentence which would more emphatically declare, the desperate, and utter depravity of "the first man," (I. Cor. 15-47; John iii. 31), words which would more plainly tell out the fact, that "the carnal mind is enmity against God," (Rom. viii. 7-8), than the above, "I don't want to hear about Jesus," and yet these were the words of a bright, intelligent looking young Jew in answer to the remark, "you keep Saturday instead of Sunday?" "Yes," his reply was, "I don't want to hear about Jesus." It seems several had spoken to him along the road about the Lord Jesus, hence what was in the heart came out, viz.: Intense hatred of God's Christ. "Not this man, but Barabbas" (John xviii. 40) is still what's found in the heart of man. But, O! dear, unsaved reader let me tell thee (be thou Jew or Gentile, it matters not, for God says, "there is no difference for all have sinned and come short of His glory."—Rom. iii, 22-23) what is in God's heart, for it has all come out. Wouldst thou know it? Then look at the cross of Christ, where Jesus the Saviour of sinners died on the tree; His life He gave

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